



Murray D Stall II

December 28, 1934 - January 20, 2018

Murray D. Stall II, a man greatly respected by many for his love of family and passion for his work in soil and water conservation, died January 20, 2018 at Miami Valley Hospital in Ohio. Murray, age 83, lived in Bear Lake, MI and was born December 28, 1934 in Charlotte, MI to Huey M. and Evelyn M.

(Lawrence) Stall. Murray attended MSU for 2 years before going to work for the USDA. He retired from the USDA in 1988, and went to work for the State in Manistee County. He served over 65 years in soil and water conservation, dedicating his time and knowledge in a field he wholeheartedly believed in.

Murray was an avid MSU fan after attending the school. He was also a pilot and loved to fly. Other interests and hobbies he acquired over the years include: pit crew/racing with Dowker Racing in Charlotte and Jet Engineering of Lansing, fishing, golf, gardening, birdwatching, snowmobiling, bowling, and playing the guitar. He loved improving the agricultural environment for Eaton County and worked with many farmers on no-till planting. The land was important to Murray, he loved his job and that kept him going.

Murray is survived by his children, Murray D. (Karen) Stall III, Laurie Quimby, Brian (Anna) Stall, and Aimee Stall-Cannon; grandchildren Murray (Rita) Stall IV, Matthew D. (Stephanie) Stall, Byron Klingaman, Bo (Kim) Quimby, Julian Stall, Coral Johnston, Sky Johnston, Brody Stall, Quentin "The Dude" Stall, Isaiah Bell, and Evan Cannon; great-grandchildren Murray D. Stall V, Miles

Stall, Leighton Stall, JC Quimby, Kingston Quimby, and Logan Bank; sister, Sally Jewell; and nephews, Randy Holton, Tim Jewell, and Tom Jewell. He was predeceased by his wife, Connie; sister Marilyn Turner; and his parents.

Funeral Services are Saturday, January 27, 2018, at 10:30 a.m. at Pray Funeral Home in Charlotte with Rev. Gary Wales officiating. Visitation is Friday, January 26, 6-8:00 p.m. at Pray Funeral Home. If desired, the family suggests memorial contributions to Wounded Warrior Project. Friends and family are encouraged to share memories of Murray on his Tribute Page at www.PrayFuneral.com. The family is in the care of Pray Funeral Home, Charlotte.

Cemetery Details

Maple Hill Cemetery

801 Tully Brown Rd.
Charlotte, MI 48813

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN 26. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Pray Funeral Home
401 W. Seminary St.
Charlotte, MI 48813

Funeral Ceremony

JAN 27. 10:30 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Pray Funeral Home, Inc created a Tribute Video in memory of Murray D Stall II*



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“ *We were in each others lives too short a time but we came to care for each other so very much. I only wish we could have had more time. I send my deepest condolences to all his family. Sincerely Lynn Crannell*

Lynn Crannell - January 27, 2018 at 09:41 AM

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“ *Murray, and I go way, way back as I was also a Soil Conservation Technician. I recently saw Murray received an award from a Conservation District, which did not surprise me.*

We can not say enough good things about Murray. His legacy of promoting (Conservation of our Natural Resources) will truly live on.

Our deepest sympathy to the family.

*Lon Koops, Chairman,
Allegan Conservation District.*

Lon Koops - January 26, 2018 at 12:46 PM

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“ I want to express my heart felt condolences to the Stall family on Murray's passing. I knew and worked with Murray during his time with the Mason-Lake and Manistee Conservation Districts. Murray was truly a person with a great desire and passion for the stewardship of our lands, farmlands, and the water quality from each. Murray's dedication to his work made a difference.

*Ben Loosemore
NRCS Retired
Manistee County*

Ben Loosemore - January 26, 2018 at 10:13 AM



“ *Treasured Lilies Spray was purchased for the family of Murray D Stall II.*



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“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Murray D Stall II.*



January 25, 2018 at 08:25 PM



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